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The "Warm Up Jackson County" event is Sunday, Nov. 14, from 5 to 7 p.m. Students will collect canned goods and other non-perishable food items, as well as monetary donations, for the Maquoketa Community Cupboard.

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Recount includes one missed ballot

By DOUGLAS MELVOLD

A single ballot that was not counted when unofficial results were tabulated on election night last week caused a recount of the votes of a Jackson County precinct.

The recount was done Monday morning, Nov. 8. Jackson County Auditor and Elections Commissioner M. Joell Deppe said the recount was uneventful and the missed ballot will be included in the official results of the Nov. 2 general election.

The county Board of Supervisors was scheduled to canvass the election results Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 9, to make them official.

The recount involved Jackson County's Precinct 6, which consists of Farmers Creek and Perry

townships. The polling place is at Andrew City Hall.

Deppe said a voter who went to vote at the precinct on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 2, obtained a ballot.

The voter started to mark it, but went back to the election officials, saying he or she had incorrectly marked the ballot in some way and asked for a new one.

Following instructions from the election officials, the voter wrote "Spoiled" across the ballot and it was placed in a sealed envelope. The voter then marked the second ballot.

The voter, however, left the polling place without feeding the sec-

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MSP photo by Douglas Melvold

Election worker Audrey Brickner feeds a ballot into the scanner machine as election worker Amy Eganhouse looks on. The two processed the ballots Monday morning, Nov. 8, at the Jackson County Courthouse as part of an administrative recount of Precinct 6, which consists of Farmers Creek and Perry townships. The Board of Supervisors ordered the recount after it was discovered that a ballot had not been counted.

Thank Our Veterans program planned

The agenda has been announced for the special public Veterans Day program scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 11, at 1:30 p.m. at Pearson Memorial Center, Jackson County Fairgrounds, Maquoketa.

The prelude and posting of colors will precede the Pledge of Allegiance and the national anthem at 1:30.

Kathy Seyfert, Maquoketa Area Chamber of Commerce, will give a speech.

Buddy Olson, event organizer, will offer a short speech about why he organized this Veterans Day program and the importance of it.

The oldest and youngest veterans will be recognized and asked to share their stories with those assembled.

The Maquoketa Community High School Band, under the direction of Kent Crawford, will perform songs for each branch of the military.

Deacon Bob Head will offer a blessing.

Jack Willey will sing "God Bless America."

Cookies and punch will be served by Clover Ridge.

The public is invited to attend this public thank you for area veterans.



"Off the Track" cast members pose for a photo after completing their first dress rehearsal Monday evening. C.A.G.E. (Cardinal Acting Guild Entourage) from Maquoketa Community High School performs the comedy Friday and Saturday, Nov. 12 and 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the Ohnward Fine Arts Center. The public is invited to the show.



Did Mrs. Guarino (Jasmine Francois), center, really steal the \$10,000 string of pearls? Find out during C.A.G.E.'s production "Off the Track" this weekend. Also shown are, from left, train station agent Matthew Kilburg, Mitchell Richards as the station handyman, and Tate Huckstadt.



Mrs. Reginald Vanderverter (Anne Windsland) impatiently waits to give her testimony on the witness stand as she tries to resolve the issue of who stole her pearls. Also shown are Andrew Long, left, and Tate Huckstadt.

MHS students to perform 'Off the Track' this weekend

Cardinal Acting Guild Entourage (C.A.G.E.) of Maquoketa Community High School performs "Off the Track," a 90-minute comedy, on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 12 and 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the Ohnward Fine Arts Center in Maquoketa.

An eclectic group of people is thrown together when a passenger train is derailed in the 1940s. The passengers must wait inside the train depot for another train to transport them to their destination.

A \$10,000 pearl necklace goes missing, and the stranded passengers play detective, lawyer, judge, and jury as they await their relief train.

Anne Windsland takes on the role of Mrs. Reginald Vanderverter, the chic woman whose pearl necklace disappears. Josie Saunders plays Miss Pidgie McDougal, the 50-year-old old maid who has her nose in everyone's business. Jasmine Francois portrays Mrs. Guarino, an Italian woman who always has food to share. Catherine Bettag is Antonia Guarino, Mrs. Guarino's 12-year-old daughter.

Ryan Helton plays Bill Lindsay, an attractive college student.

Oscar Pozenby, the deaf man who won let his old suitcase out of his sight, is portrayed by Andrew Long. Tate Huckstadt has the role of Willie Woodson, a 22-year-old engaged to Evalina Bumpass, an overbearing and overdressed woman played by Brittany Bettag.

Matthew Kilburg plays train station agent John Morgan. Mitchell Richards has the role of Silas Dobbins, station handyman. Carly Ward, Caitlyn Hayward and Emma Anderson play the three preppy college girls.

Bettag is Antonia Guarino, Mrs. Guarino's 12-year-old daughter. Ryan Helton plays Bill Lindsay, an attractive college student.

Tickets for this weekend's performances are available at the high school office and at Osterhaus Pharmacy.

"Off the Track" was written by Felicia Metcalfe. It is produced by special arrangement with Heuer Publishing LLC of Cedar Rapids.